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NEWS LETTERS FROM BULLETIN REPRESENTATIVES.

WILLIMANTIC.

Officers of San Jose Council installed by District Deputy E. A. Sullivan. The members of San Jose council, No. 14, Knights of Columbus, spent a social evening in connection with the ceremonies incident to their annual installation of officers in the council chamber in the old armory on Center street Thursday.

District Deputy Edward A. Sullivan of Danbury was the installing officer. These officers were installed: Grand Knight, James H. Maxwell; deputy grand knight, George P. Brady; chancellor, James E. Lynch, Jr.; warden, Thomas P. Berth; financial secretary, William A. Costello; recording secretary, Michael F. Grady; treasurer, John W. Moran; inside guard, John Moriarty; outside guard, Eugene P. Martin; trustees, John P. Carr, William L. Flynn, Dr. W. F. S. Keating; lecturer, Walter J. Costello.

After the installation ceremonies, which were very impressive, the new set of robes being used, an appetizing lunch was served. This was followed by a social hour. The committee in charge of the arrangements for the evening comprised Walter J. Costello, John W. Moran, Robert J. Pickett and John Moriarty.

COMPLIMENTARY DANCE.

Ladies Reciprocity Hospitality of Rip Van Winkle Club.

The ladies who have been attending the series of assemblies and whists given by the Rip Van Winkle club this season were hostesses Thursday evening, giving a complimentary dance to the members of the club and a few of their guests in Washington hall. It was one of the social successes of the season and was a "sheet and pillow case" masquerade. About thirty-five couples were present and an excellent evening was enjoyed by all in attendance. Music for the affair was furnished by Helms's orchestra. Refreshments were served by the ladies. The gentlemen voted the ladies capital hostesses and were agreed that they knew how to plan and carry out an even of last night's kind even better than the men.

Creditors Meet. The creditors of M. L. Schuster & Co. held a meeting before Referee in Bankruptcy J. J. Brennan. The bankrupts were not examined. Attorney Samuel B. Harvey, representing claims amounting to \$350, which was a majority vote of the creditors, was appointed. The creditors were present with their attorney, J. J. Brennan, ready to be examined. The entire property was disposed of by private sale. Several of the other lawyers interested in the hearing were not present. Judge Bowen has not appointed any appraisers yet.

OBITUARY. Mrs. John S. Rhoades.

Mrs. Lucy A. Rhoades, wife of John S. Rhoades, died Thursday morning at Mansfield Four Corners at the age of 71. Burial will be in the cemetery at H. N. Fenn of this city is in charge.

Octave Maheu died Wednesday evening at the home of his son, Octave Maheu No. 5, Main street. He had been ill for over a year with a complication of diseases. Mr. Maheu was born at St. Hyacinthe, Canada, 37 years ago and came to this country with his parents, first making their home in Putnam, where they remained for three years, then moving to Willimantic, where they had since resided. For more than thirty years he was in the employ of the Standard company, where he was in charge of the machinery department. He was married to Octave Maheu, a native of France, and they had three children, Octave, George and Napoleon, and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Guss, all of this city.

Alonso A. Bartlett. Thursday afternoon George A. Bartlett received news of the death of his grandfather, Alonso W. Bartlett, at his home in Deerfield, Mass. Mr. Bartlett was 81 years old and had been suffering with rheumatism for some time. There survive a widow, Mrs. George A. Bartlett of this city. Mr. Bartlett left on the 4:07 express Thursday afternoon for Deerfield to make arrangements for the funeral.

Summons to Court. Constable W. J. Hastings Thursday morning served a writ on Max Markoff, manager of the Irvin house, for his appearance in court before Justice of the Peace P. J. Danahy on the 17th inst. in the civil action, Whitfield vs. Markoff.

\$300 FIRE LOSS.

Damage to Home of Joseph H. Schilling.

Thursday forenoon at about 10:30 o'clock fire was discovered in Joseph H. Schilling's home at Spring Hill, Mansfield. At first the fire was confined to the chimney but the wind was blowing a gale and flying sparks ignited the dry shingles and before the same could be extinguished by willing neighbors about two-thirds of the roof was destroyed. Some of the contents

of the upper rooms were damaged by smoke and water.

The men had a hard fight to save the house and a number of times adjoining property caught fire from the sparks and dry grass that burned like tinder. Mr. Schilling estimates his loss at about \$300. The property is covered by insurance.

Bad Brush Fire.

A raging brush fire in Conantville Thursday morning was successfully fought by the men in that vicinity. Superintendent Backus shut down the mills and sent the hands out to assist in staying the advance of the fire as the high wind made the fire dangerous to many dwellings and other property.

The fire started in the woods at the rear of the Pinhurst grove and caused a damage of about a thousand dollars, principally to standing timber and cordwood. Thomas Doyle sustained a loss estimated at about \$300. Practically the entire male population of the village fought the furious fire and at last got it under control.

Burial of Herbert Clark Today.

The body of Herbert Clark, that had been lying in a receiving vault at the Willimantic cemetery for some weeks, was buried Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. McCracken on Mountain street. Rev. Louis M. Flocken, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, was the officiating clergyman.

The bearers were Irvin L. Franklin of Westfield, Mass., George B. McCracken, Charles Andrews and William Smith. Burial was in Willimantic cemetery, Elmors & Shepard were in charge.

Adolphus Jacques.

The funeral of Adolphus Jacques was held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at St. Mary's church. Rev. Arthur DeBruycker officiated. No religious mass could be celebrated according to the rules of the church on Holy Thursday, and one will be sung shortly after Easter. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Notes.

Miss Jennie Israel has returned from a two months' stay in Bangor and Waterville, Me. Miss Israel served as bridesmaid for Miss Jennie Shero, a friend formerly of this city.

Miss Katherine Lamb and grand-mother of Mystic were in the city on Thursday on their way to New Britain. Miss Lamb is a student at the Willimantic state normal school.

Adelard Morin of Norwich was in Willimantic on business Thursday.

Mrs. Fred O. Vinton of Eagleville was a Willimantic visitor Thursday.

Mrs. R. G. Waterous of Windham Center was a Hartford visitor Thursday.

Miss Jennie Wilcox of South Windham is the guest of friends in Hartford.

Miss Ruby Higgins of South Coventry was the guest of friends in town Thursday.

Miss Ella Thompson has been engaged as operator in the local telephone exchange.

Mrs. William McKinley and daughter, with Miss Doolan Trudeau, spent Thursday in Hartford.

Miss Lenore Little has returned to Northampton, Mass., to resume her studies at Smith college.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Bill, Mrs. T. R. Parker and Mrs. Bill's youngest daughter, Beatrice, went to Boston Thursday for a brief visit.

John H. Carney of Norwich stopped in this city Thursday on his way to his home in Greenfield, Mass., where he is to visit for a few days.

Alderman Frank M. Smith is in Hartford for the balance of the week with his family, who have been visiting there for a number of days.

The State Board of Health's Law.

Following is the bill which is said to have the endorsement of the state board of health:

Section 1. No person shall spit on the sidewalk, crossing, or in any public street, park, square, or upon the floor of any hall or office in any hotel, restaurant, apartment house, tenement or lodging house which is used in common by the general public, or in any other place, or upon the floor, platform, steps or stairs of any public building, church, school, college, station, store or factory, or street car or other public conveyance.

Sec. 2. The term spitting as used in this act shall be defined as the act of expelling any secretion from the chest, throat, mouth or nose.

Sec. 3. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be fined not less than one nor more than five dollars, or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both.

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JEWETT CITY.

Hunt for Kisses with Easter Prize—Baptist Ladies' Aid Society's Social—News in General.

The kindergarten class in the Congregational Sunday school, of which Mrs. G. W. Robinson has charge held a box social in the vestry Wednesday from four to six. There were twenty-three present to enjoy the good time. There was one game in which the girls took part, and that was a hunt for kisses. Miss Ethel Thompson found fourteen, winning the Easter bunny, which was the prize. Misses Marian Robinson and Hazel Hill assisted Mrs. Robinson in entertaining.

Social at Baptist Vestry.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church held an afternoon and evening social in the vestry on Thursday, at which there was a large number present. There was a business meeting at which Mrs. H. F. Cheney presided, and sewing in the afternoon. Supper was served at six o'clock. The evening was a most successful one, and the program which included a duet, Life's Dream is Over, sung by Miss Mabel A. Young and H. E. Jackson; reading from Will Carleton by Mrs. Charles Gardner, and a solo, Two Cities, by G. H. Prior. Refreshments were served at 7 o'clock. The committee was Mrs. Frank Haliburton, Mrs. D. R. Tracy, Mrs. A. M. Clarke, Mrs. H. R. Wilcox, Mrs. J. E. Phillips, Miss Lily Jones and Mrs. A. E. Prior.

Mrs. Lucy C. Franklin's Death.

The death of Mrs. Lucy Colburn Franklin, which occurred in Willimantic last week, was interesting to the older Jewett City people, as the family of Colburns were residents here for many years. She was a great friend of the town, and a former resident here, who also died in Willimantic this week.

Personal Notes.

Champion Mathewson is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Young's. Mr. Mathewson is a professor of chemistry at Yale university, and is the son of S. L. Mathewson of Milford, Conn. Miss Agnes Brennan and Miss Mahoney of Battle were visitors at Miss Delphine Besture's this week. Miss Maud Gilbert of Danbury is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gilbert's. The finest apron, hincantins, and tulips for Easter at Jewett City greenhouses—adv.

STAFFORD SPRINGS.

Divorce Granted Mrs. George Knight—C. C. Pinney Makes Business Change—Borough Notes.

Mrs. Kate Knight of Stafford Springs was granted a divorce from her husband, George Knight, by Judge Reed in the superior court on Thursday. The action was brought on the grounds of habitual intemperance. The stores, banks and other business places will be closed today (Friday) a legal holiday.

Mr. Pinney's Business Change.

C. C. Pinney has sold his interest in the firm of C. C. Pinney & Co. to E. P. Lovell of Providence. Mr. Pinney will devote his time to the interests of the Phoenix woolen mill, Hydeville, of which he is part owner.

Samuel E. Fairfield, a former Stafford attorney, has been visiting friends in the borough. Mr. Fairfield is now practicing in New York.

John M. Leach and Anders Jacobson have moved into their new stores in the Center block.

There is to be a meeting of the Girls' club at the Congregational chapel Saturday afternoon.

Edward Welch is to build a house on a lot recently purchased of F. A. Keefe on Stafford Heights.

Daniel J. Hanley visited friends in Hartford Thursday.

Died After Long Illness.

Charles Eurninger, age 39, died at his home in Stafford Hollow Tuesday morning after a long illness of Bright's disease.

Miss Mary Fisk a teacher in Manchester, is spending a week at her home on Stafford street.

The quarterly meeting of the Forerunners is held in Society hall on Thursday evening.

Current Events Club.

The meeting of the Current Events club will be held Monday evening. The program is as follows: Roll call; Places of Unusual and Historical Interest—The Connecticut Valley; means of transportation, railroads, trolleys, etc. Music, vocal solo, Miss Farrell. Committee, Mrs. R. W. Smith, Mrs. P. C. Cooly, Miss Blanche Cleveland, Hostesses, Miss Mena Adams and Miss Sadie L. Collins.

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A Criticism.

The New York Evening Post intimates that President Taft makes too much of his Yale relations and that Yale is manifesting a degree of enthusiasm not altogether fitting. It instances Harvard's agreeable reserve, but Harvard it must be remembered, has had three presidents. Yale will get more used to it in time. As the construction at the dinner in New York last week said: "We've been waiting for this 208 years."

One of the Common People.

On his first trip to New York in many years as a "private citizen" Colonel Roosevelt called at the dinner in New York last week said: "We've been waiting for this 208 years."

A Difference.

A corps of the Norwegian army is being drilled to operate on skates. Just now the difference between an American officer who tries to perform his duty with his skates on is called before a courtmartial—Omaha Bee.

Completing the Circle.

Senator Tillman may yet be induced to join the other returning exiles in a "home coming" week at the White House.—Washington Post.

Country Saved Again.

Despite the automobile incident, amicable relations have been restored between Senator Bailey and the White House.—Washington Post.

Dress Reform.

Collarless coats are threatened and we trust the summer will see the restoration of collared trousers.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

No Danger from It.

And it is safe to say that no members of the Roosevelt expedition will have to daily with the sleeping sickness.—Atlanta Constitution.

Chance for Loeb.

As collector of the port of New York William Loeb, Jr., should incidentally have the opportunity to collect the materials for a perfectly grand little machine.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Great Days for Him.

Roosevelt being out and the Standard Oil case having been expunged from the docket, Chancellor Day's days probably are sweet again.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Beats Mark Twain's Record.

William Long of McKeesport, Pa., has for the sixth time in five years read his own obituary in the papers. Now puffed up he must be—Boston Globe.

What a Chance!

If Messrs. Harlow and the Rockefeller would both retire, this ought to be as good a country as any for a poor man to start in.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Establishing the Ownership.

"Indiana is Mr. Riley's state," says a New York paper. Perhaps as it has been established that it does not belong to Mr. Kern.—Omaha Bee.

Has a Soft Finish.

The careers of Cortelyou and Loeb are full of encouragement for Private Secretary Carpenter.—Chicago Tribune.

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